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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions for a one-month extension of time within which to respond outstanding Office Action dated July 5, 2005, such extension allowing the undersigned until November 5, 2005, to respond.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee of \$120.00 to Deposit Account No. 502306.

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